

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE.

No. 313

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND NINE.

AN ACT to amend section seventeen of chapter thirty of the
Revised Statutes relating to the Sale of Poisons.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. Section seventeen, chapter thirty of the Re-
vised Statutes is hereby amended by inserting after the
word "acid" in the ninth line thereof the words 'cocaine,
heroin, alpha or beta eucaine, cannabis indica, acetanilide, or
any patent or proprietary medicine containing any of these.'
So that the first paragraph of said section shall read as
follows:

'Sect. 17. Whoever sells arsenic, arsenious acid, atropia,
or any of its salts, chloral hydrate, chloroform, cotton root
and its fluid extract, Fowler's Solution, corrosive sublimate,

11 cyanide of potassium, Donovan's solution, ergot and its
12 fluid extract, laudanum, McMunn's elixir, morphia or any
13 of its salts, sugar of lead, oil of savin, oil of tansy, opium,
14 Parson's vermin exterminator, phosphorus, prussic acid,
15 rough on rats, strychnia or any of its salts, tartar emetic,
16 tincture of aconite, tincture of belladonna, tincture of digi-
17 talis, tincture of nux vomica, tincture of veratrum of viride,
18 crystals of carbolic acid or a strong solution of carbolic
19 acid, cocaine, heroin, alpha or beta eucaine, cannabis in-
20 dica, acetanilide, or any patent or proprietary medicine con-
21 taining any of these, without the written prescription of
22 a physician shall keep a record of such sales, the name and
23 quantity of the article sold and the name and residence of
24 the person or persons to whom it was delivered, which
25 record shall be made before the article was delivered and
26 shall be open to inspection by the police authorities and
27 officers of cities and towns; but no sale of cocaine or its
28 salts shall be made except to dentists or on the prescription
29 of a physician.'



STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE,

March 2, 1909.

Presented by Mr. MILLIKEN of Aroostook and on his motion tabled for printing pending reference to a committee.

F. G. FARRINGTON, *Secretary*.